

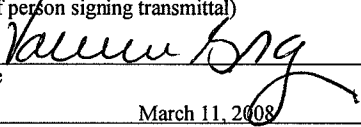
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Teruhiko KORI, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/980,057  
For : TRANSMITTER, SIGNAL TRANSMITTING METHOD, AND DATA  
DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM FOR TRANSFERRING A CONTENT  
SIGNAL OR PROCESSING COPYRIGHT PROTECTION ON A  
CONTENT SIGNAL (AS AMENDED)  
Filed : March 13, 2002  
Examiner : Jacob Lipman  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 1, 2008, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response ending on May 1, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.